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Asbestos License Revocations

~ Board disciplines Hampton Roads individuals, firms for felonious activity ~

RICHMOND – The Virginia Board for Asbestos, Lead, and Home Inspectors issued 11 license revocations and two suspensions at its most recent meeting Wednesday, Feb. 18. Following is a summary of the Board's actions.

Copies of the file orders and summaries are available for viewing online at: www.dpor.virginia.gov (using the disciplinary action search feature under "License Lookup").

MACSONS INC. (NORFOLK, VA)

File Number 2004-01603

VIOLATIONS – Macsons Inc. violated the Board's regulation 18 VAC 15020-450(A)(6) by pleading guilty to felony charges while engaged in environmental remediation activity. BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 3306-000657 (asbestos contractor license).

File Number 2004-01608

VIOLATIONS – Macsons Inc. violated the Board's regulation 18 VAC 15020-450(A)(6) by pleading guilty to felony charges while engaged in environmental remediation activity. BOARD ACTION – Suspension of License No. 3358-000084 (lead abatement license) for a period of three months.

WILLIAM S. MCCLOUD (CHESAPEAKE, VA)

File Number 2004-01604

VIOLATION – McCloud violated the Board's regulation 18 VAC 15020-450(A)(6) by pleading guilty to felony charges while engaged in environmental remediation activity.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 3302-004282 (asbestos supervisor license).

File Number 2004-01609

VIOLATION – McCloud violated the Board's regulation 18 VAC 15020-450(A)(6) by pleading guilty to felony charges while engaged in environmental remediation activity.

BOARD ACTION – Suspension of License No. 3353-000250 (lead abatement supervisor license) for a period of three months.

ETMS, INC. (VIRGINIA BEACH, VA)

File Number 2004-01595

VIOLATIONS – ETMS, Inc. violated the Board's regulation 18 VAC 15020-450(A)(6) by being convicted of felonies while engaged in environmental remediation activity.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 3333-000154 (analytical laboratory license).

SCOTT J. EGGLESTON (VIRGINIA BEACH, VA)

File Number 2004-01599

VIOLATIONS – Eggleston violated the Board's regulation 18 VAC 15020-450(A)(6) by being convicted of felonies while engaged in environmental remediation activity.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 3302-006427 (asbestos supervisor license).

File Number 2004-01600

VIOLATIONS – Eggleston violated the Board's regulation 18 VAC 15020-450(A)(6) by being convicted of felonies while engaged in environmental remediation activity.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 3309-000573 (asbestos project monitor license).

File Number 2004-01601

VIOLATIONS – Eggleston violated the Board's regulation 18 VAC 15020-450(A)(6) by being convicted of felonies while engaged in environmental remediation activity.

BOARD ACTION - Revocation of License No. 3303-000832 (asbestos inspector license).

File Number 2004-01602

VIOLATIONS – Eggleston violated the Board's regulation 18 VAC 15020-450(A)(6) by being convicted of felonies while engaged in environmental remediation activity.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No.3305-000774 (asbestos project designer license).

File Number 2004-01607

VIOLATIONS – Eggleston violated the Board's regulation 18 VAC 15020-450(A)(6) by being convicted of felonies while engaged in environmental remediation activity.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 3357-000121 (lead project designer license).

FREDERICK LLOYD GUEST (ELIZABETH CITY, NC)

File Number 2004-01596

VIOLATIONS – Guest violated the Board's regulation 18 VAC 15020-450(A)(6) by being convicted of felonies while engaged in environmental remediation activity.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 3309-000466 (asbestos project monitor license).

File Number 2004-01598

VIOLATIONS – Guest violated the Board's regulation 18 VAC 15020-450(A)(6) by being convicted of felonies while engaged in environmental remediation activity.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 3303-001534 (asbestos inspector license).

File Number 2004-01606

VIOLATIONS – Guest violated the Board's regulation 18 VAC 15020-450(A)(6) by being convicted of felonies while engaged in environmental remediation activity.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 3356-000066 (lead risk assessor license).

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About DPOR and the Board for Asbestos, Lead and Home Inspectors:

The Virginia Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation (DPOR) administers and enforces laws regulating 31 commercial occupations and certain professions. The agency licenses or certifies more than 250,000 individuals and businesses ranging from architects and contractors to cosmetologists and professional wrestlers. DPOR investigates reports of regulatory violations by licensees; pursues complaints of criminal activity by unlicensed practitioners; responds to business-related consumer inquiries and requests for license checks; administers recovery funds for consumers harmed in contractor or real estate transactions; and conducts mediation services and public awareness campaigns.

The Board for Asbestos, Lead and Home Inspectors oversees the state's asbestos and lead-based paint activities licensing regulations, and establishes criteria for training courses and asbestos laboratories. In 2001, the General Assembly expanded the Board's responsibilities to include a voluntary certification program for home inspectors. The Board is composed of one asbestos contractor, one lead contractor, one asbestos inspector or project manager, one lead risk assessor, one analytical laboratory representative, one training course provider, two home inspectors, and two citizen members.

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